

WHEREAS, the undersigned inventors (hereinafter singly and collectively, "ASSIGNORS") of the address(es) indicated below, have invented BIOCIDE-FREE ANTI-FOULING COATING CONTAINING A FABRIC BASED ON BASALT FIBERS for which application for Letters Patent of the United States was/will be filed as a U.S. Utility Patent Application, which application is based on German patent application 103 53 858.8, filed November 13, 2003, and International patent application PCT/EP2004/012656, filed November 9, 2004.

AND WHEREAS, Unternehmen Für Spezialfasern Sakrowski e.K., Gartenstrasse 9, D-49828 Neuenhaus, Germany (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring ASSIGNORS' interest therein;

AND WHEREAS, a "formal application," as referred to herein, shall mean any non-provisional, continuation, continuation in part, divisional, reissue, reexamination, or other patent application or like document, filed in the United States;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive rights, title and interest in the whole aforesaid application, to the invention as described in the aforesaid application, and to all formal applications which may be filed based in whole or in part on the aforesaid application, in the United States, and hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEES, for the sole use and benefit of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives;

AND HEREBY AGREE to transfer, upon request of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and without further remuneration, a like interest in and to any improvements or any formal applications based thereon, growing out of or relating to the invention;

AGREEING, FURTHERMORE, upon request of ASSIGNEE, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers requested by ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to preserve and/or acquire ASSIGNEE'S full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred and any improvements therein, and for the filing and/or granting of formal applications based on the invention or improvements therein, and the perfecting of title thereto in ASSIGNEE.

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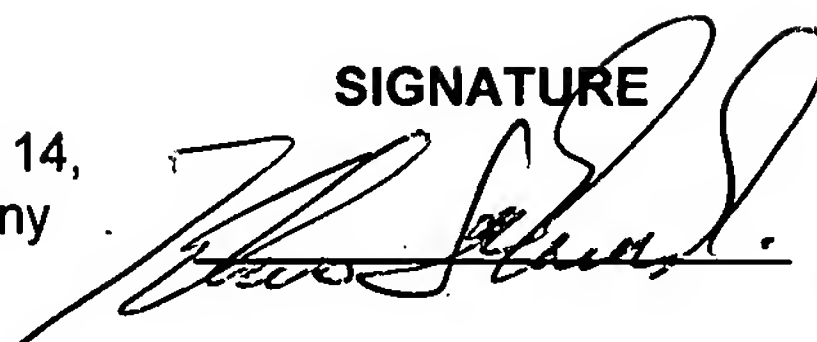
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